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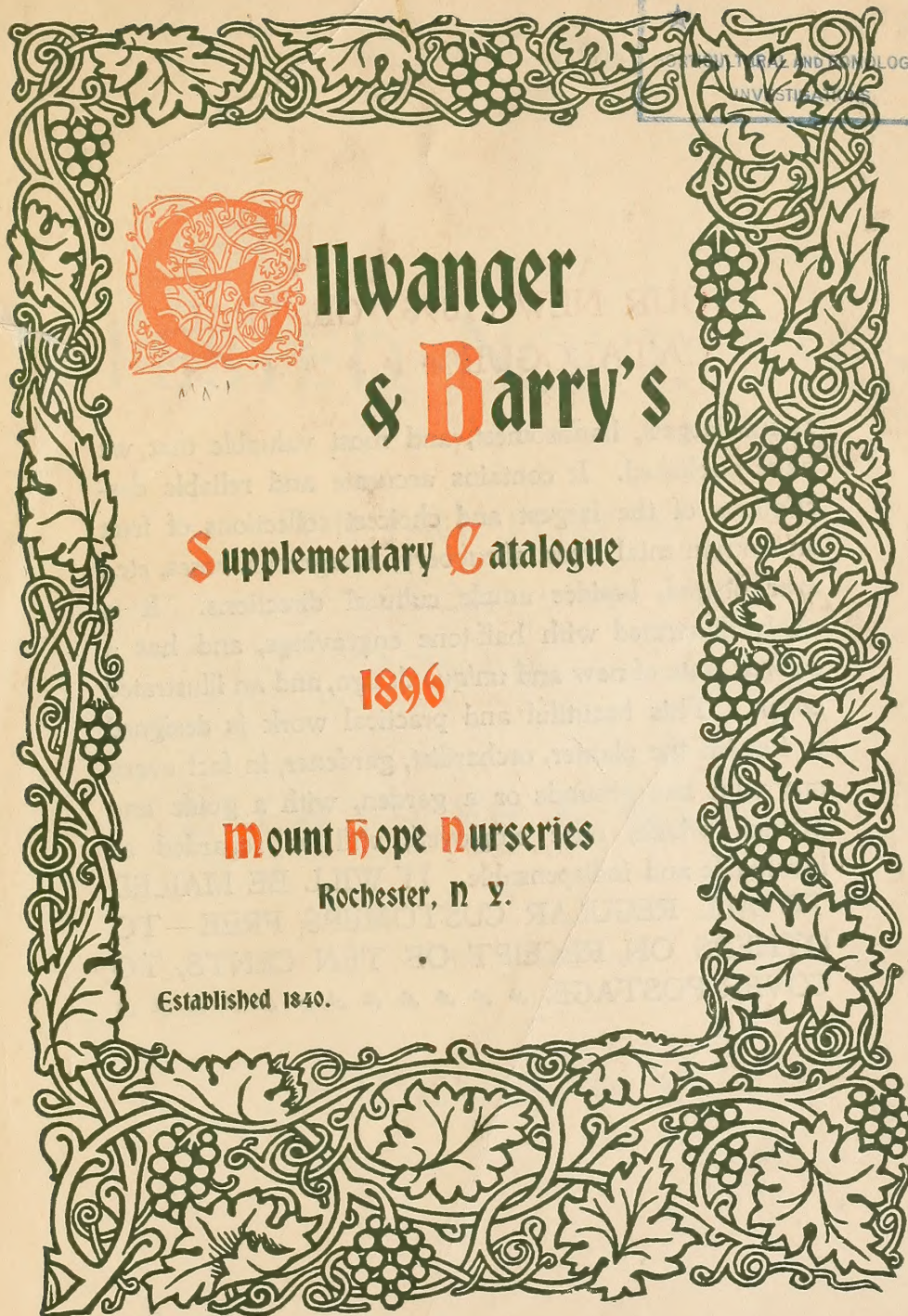
Supplementary Catalogue

1896

Mount Hope Nurseries

Rochester, N. Y.

Established 1840.



OUR NEW (1896) GENERAL CATALOGUE ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀

Is the largest, handsomest, and most valuable that we have published. It contains accurate and reliable descriptions of the largest and choicest collections of fruit and ornamental trees, shrubbery, evergreens, roses, etc., ever offered, besides ample cultural directions. It is richly illustrated with half-tone engravings, and has a colored plate of new and unique design, and an illustrated cover. This beautiful and practical work is designed to furnish the planter, orchardist, gardener, in fact every one who has grounds or a garden, with a guide and manual which, once employed, will be regarded as invaluable and indispensable. IT WILL BE MAILED TO ALL REGULAR CUSTOMERS FREE—TO OTHERS ON RECEIPT OF TEN CENTS, TO COVER POSTAGE. ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀ ❀

AUTUMN 1896.

TESTED NOVELTIES

FOR FALL PLANTING,

OFFERED BY

ELLWANGER & BARRY,

MT. HOPE NURSERIES,

ROCHESTER, N. Y.

“The most complete nurseries on the American continent.”—*Am. Rural Home.*



COLUMBUS GOOSEBERRY.

FROM A PHOTOGRAPH OF A PLANT IN OUR NURSERIES.



BECHTEL'S NEW DOUBLE-FLOWERED AMERICAN CRAB.

Beautiful large semi-double rose-colored flowers, some of them measuring two inches in diameter.

FROM A PHOTOGRAPH OF FLOWERS PRODUCED IN OUR NURSERIES.



ELÆAGNUS LONGIPES.

One of the finest new shrubs; fruit handsome and edible.



CRIMSON RAMBLER ROSE.

FROM A PHOTOGRAPH OF A SINGLE BRANCH WHICH CONTAINED 21 CLUSTERS WITH 364 INDIVIDUAL FLOWERS. GROWN IN OUR NURSERIES.



MARCHIONESS OF LONDONDERRY.

Best new hardy white rose.

"UNQUESTIONABLY ONE OF THE LARGEST ROSES, BLOOMS ATTAINING A DIAMETER OF SIX INCHES WHEN FULLY DEVELOPED, AND ONE OF THE SWEETEST OF THE HYBRID PERPETUALS."—GARDENER'S MAGAZINE.

Mass. There can be no doubt that this Rose is a decided acquisition. It has been thoroughly tested during the long and severe winter just past, and it has come through in even better condition than the majority of hybrids. It is a Rose of exceptional value as a pot-plant, judging from the specimen grown here. It is trained in pyramidal form and is completely covered with handsome clusters of deep crimson flowers.

Queen Victoria inspects the Crimson Rambler.—On July 15th, Her Majesty the Queen honored the Royal Nurseries, Slough, with a visit for the purpose of inspecting the plants and hedges of Crimson Rambler Rose, and graciously expressed her great pleasure at the marvelous quantity of bloom on the plants and their gorgeous appearance.

Orders can be filled at any time, as plants are growing in pots. Price, 20c. each; 6 for \$1, by mail postpaid. We can also furnish dormant plants. 50c. each.

Tea Rose, Maman Cochet.

A new Tea Rose which has proved to be an acquisition. Flowers large, full, clear carmine rose, shaded with salmon yellow. Plant very vigorous and free flowering. One of the best Tea Roses of recent introduction. 50c.



NEW ROSE, MARCHIONESS OF LONDONDERRY. (Reduced.)

White H. P. Rose, Marchioness of Londonderry.

A new White Hybrid Perpetual, and one of the late introductions of the Messrs. Dickson & Sons, of Newtownards, Ireland, who have given us such beautiful roses as Earl of Dufferin, Margaret Dickson, etc. Flowers of great size, measuring five inches across, perfectly formed, and carried on stout stems. Color ivory white; petals of great substance, shell-shaped and reflexed; free flowering; highly perfumed; growth vigorous and foliage very handsome. Undoubtedly one of the finest roses raised by this firm. Awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society of England. We have had this variety in flower, and regard it as a decided acquisition to the list of hardy white roses. \$1.

Hybrid Tea Rose, Mrs. W. C. Whitney.

A new American seedling rose. Color beautiful shade of clear, deep pink, with a fragrance distinct from any known variety. A strong, vigorous grower, producing large, full flowers; very free flowering. Awarded the "Mrs. Whitney Cup" at Madison Square Garden, New York, in 1892. 50c.

Rosa Wichuriana (syn. Rosa Luciae).

(The Japan Trailing Rose.)

This pretty novelty is a native of Japan, and is a most valuable plant for covering embankments, rockeries, etc., and particularly for use in cemeteries. It is a low, trailing species, its stems creeping

Package of grape vines and clematis received in excellent condition, as your stock always comes to hand.—F. H., New Bedford, Mass.

on the ground almost as closely as the Ivy. Foliage small, very dark green and lustrous; the flowers, which are produced in July, are small single, pure white, and very fragrant. A great acquisition. 50c.

Its remarkable habit, its hardiness, the brilliancy of its lustrous foliage, and the beauty of its flowers, which appear when most shrubs are out of bloom, certainly recommend it to the attention of the lovers of hardy plants.
—*Garden and Forest.*

New Tea Rose, Mrs. Pierpont Morgan.

Raised by Mr. John N. May, of Summit, N. J. Described as follows: "A sport from Madame Cusin and in every way superior to that variety. Flowers large and very double; color intensely bright cerise or rose pink, petals broad and massive; very free flowering. It has received special certificates of merit wherever exhibited." \$1.

New H. P. Rose, Mrs. R. G. Sharman Crawford.

Raised by Dickson & Sons, of Newtownards, Ireland. Color deep, rosy pink, outer petals shaded with pale flesh, white at base of petals; flowers large, of perfect imbricated form, and freely produced, flowering from early summer until late in autumn. Growth vigorous. Awarded gold medal of the National Rose Society of England and many first-class certificates. \$1.

New H. P. Rose, Marchioness of Downshire.

Another of Dickson's roses. Color beautiful satin pink shaded with rose; flowers large and full; petals of great substance; of vigorous growth and free-flowering. Awarded first-class certificates in England. \$1.

New White H. P. Rose, Margaret Dickson.

We have had this superb rose growing in our nurseries for several seasons, and from what we have seen of it there seems to be no doubt that it will be one of the best white hardy roses. Of magnificent form; white, with pale flesh center; petals very large, shell-shaped, and of great substance; fragrant; foliage very large, dark green; a very strong, vigorous grower. 50c.

New H. P. Rose, Clio.

Raised by Wm. Paul & Son, the celebrated English rose growers. Flowers large, of fine globular form, flesh color shaded in the center with rosy pink; growth vigorous; handsome foliage. \$1.

New Bourbon Rose, Lorna Doone.

Another new rose raised by Wm. Paul & Son. Large, full and globular; color magenta carmine, shaded with scarlet; handsome and very sweet; of vigorous growth. A valuable addition to late-flowering roses. 75c.

Rosa Setigera.

(*The Michigan or Prairie Rose.*)

This is not a new rose by any means, but it seems to have been lost sight of for a number of years. Now that single roses are so popular, this variety will be much sought after. It is a climber and when trained over a veranda makes a beautiful display. Large single flowers; deep rose color. 50c.

One of the handsomest of single roses.—*Garden and Forest.*

Lord Penzance's Hybrid Sweet Briars.

We offer these lovely hybrids for the first time. Apart from their extreme beauty they are most interesting, being crosses between the common Sweet Briar and various other roses. It is certain they are a great acquisition. Like their parent, the common Sweet Briar, the foliage is deliciously scented. The flowers are single and of the most beautiful tints. \$1 each, the set of nine for \$8.

Amy Robsart—Lovely deep rose.

Anne of Geierstein—Dark crimson.

Brenda—Maiden's blush or peach.

Flora M'Ivor—Pure white blushed rose.

Lucy Ashton—Pretty white blooms with pink edges.

Lady Penzance—Beautiful soft tint of copper.

Lord Penzance—Soft shade of fawn or ecru.

Meg Merrilies—Crimson.

Rose Bradwardine—Beautiful clear rose.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

In the spring of this year I planted an orchard for Mr. J. Pitcairn, of Philadelphia. We set out 2819 trees and 26,000 hedge plants, bought from seven different nursery firms. Ellwanger & Barry, of the Mount Hope Nurseries, Rochester, furnished 1323 trees and 15,000 Osage Orange plants. The trees and hedge plants were all good and healthy, and very carefully packed, arriving here in good condition, and I did not lose one of them, which is more success than I had with those from any other firm, as I lost some of all the others but one, and that was a comparatively small one. The order was shipped promptly, and I take great pleasure in giving Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry my best recommendations.

HUNTINGDON VALLEY, September 20, 1894.

P. P., Supt. for J. Pitcairn, Esq.

MERITORIOUS NOVELTIES

Which we strongly recommend.

Besides the extensive collections of general nursery stock which we offer, we have a number of new trees and plants which seem to have merit and which we take pleasure in bringing to the notice of our patrons. We consider all worthy of careful trial.

NOTE THE REDUCTION IN PRICES.

New Seedling Apple, Barry.

We take great pleasure in offering this fine new seedling apple. It was raised in our nurseries several years ago and has been thoroughly tested, so that we have no hesitation in recommending it to our customers as a novelty of sterling merit. Fruit oblate conical, yellow ground marbled with carmine on sunny side; flesh firm, crisp, acid; quality good. A great keeper, lasting in perfection till June. Tree a vigorous grower. \$1.00.



NEW SEEDLING APPLE, BARRY. (Reduced.)

New Fall Pear, Lady Clapp.

A seedling raised by the late Lemuel Clapp. A large, very handsome pear. Clean, smooth skin, beautiful yellow when ripe; flesh very juicy, melting, vinous; quality first rate. Ripens from middle to end of September, following the Bartlett, and a good sort to succeed that variety on account of its size and fine color, which is the same as Bartlett. A splendid pear and a decided acquisition to the list of varieties ripening at that season. Tree a good grower. \$1.00.

New Fall Pear, Madame Hemminway.

A handsome and showy new American pear, skin entirely covered with a dull russet; flesh melting, moderately juicy and flavor good, rather sweet. A promising variety. Ripens middle of September. \$1.00.

Logan Berry.

A decided novelty, being a hybrid between a blackberry and a raspberry. Fruit as large as the blackberry and of same shape: color dark red when fully ripe: partakes of the flavor of the blackberry and raspberry; pleasant, mild, vinous. 50c. each.

Numbo, Paragon, and Ridgely Chestnuts.

All produce large edible fruit. \$1.00 each.

Caryopteris Mastacanthus (Blue Spiræa.)

A pretty autumn-blooming shrubby plant, producing clusters of beautiful blue fragrant flowers in great profusion from September until frost. Dies to the ground here in winter. 50c.

Hypericum Moserianum.

A charming shrub of dwarf habit, producing large single yellow flowers in great profusion during the summer. 75c.

Spiræa Anthony Waterer.

A fine new dwarf Spiræa with dark crimson flowers, darker than Spiræa Bumalda. 50c.

New Rose Princess Bonnie.

A new rose which comes highly recommended. Described as flowers large, semi-double, outside petals rich solid crimson more vivid than Jacqueminot, while the inner side of the center ones at the base is streaked with white; possesses a rich fragrance. Plant vigorous, and blooms all the time, even surpassing Clothilde Soupert, both in doors and out of doors. Every shoot produces several perfect flowers, which frequently come in bouquet-like clusters of seven or eight. Small plants, 50c.

New Irish Roses.

(Dickson's Latest Productions.)

SMALL PLANTS READY APRIL FIRST.

Helen Keller—(Hybrid Perpetual.) Flowers large, of most perfect form, and fragrant. Color brilliant rosy cerise. A vigorous grower and very free bloomer. A most distinct and lovely rose. \$1.00.

Mavourneen—(Hybrid Perpetual.) Flowers large, full, and perfectly formed; color delicate silvery flesh white, shaded rose at base of petals. In every respect a lovely rose. \$1.00.

Marjorie—(Hybrid Tea.) Flowers medium size, exquisite form. Color white, suffused with salmon pink; flowers full and freely produced throughout the season. A charming variety. \$1.00.

New Rose, Pink Soupert.

A new rose described as identical with the famous Clothilde Soupert, its progenitor, with the exception of color of flower, which is a deep pink similar to Hermosa. It is a continuous bloomer; each branch terminates with a cluster of flowers. Single plants when but six months old under ordinary treatment often produce fifty perfect flowers. Succeeds splendidly in open ground and is hardier than Clothilde Soupert. 50c.

New Double White Rugosa Rose, Blanc Double de Courbet.

A variety of Rugosa Alba with double white flowers, possessing a delightful fragrance. Small plants in April. \$1.00.

Lord Penzance's Hybrid Sweet Briars.

(Latest Additions).

Small plants ready in April. \$1.50 each. The set of seven varieties for \$9.00.

Catharine Seyton—Rosy pink.

Jeanie Deans—Scarlet crimson.

Edith Bellenden—Pale rose.

Julia Mannering—Porcelain pink.

Green Mantle—Bright pink.

Lucy Bertram—Deep crimson.

Minna—Pure white.

Bruant's New Rugosa Rose, Belle Poitevine.

A new Hybrid Rugosa rose of a deep rose color, raised by M. Bruant who produced the very popular White Hybrid Rugosa, Mme. G. Bruant. Small plants in April. \$1.00.

Ellwanger & Barry,

Mount Hope Nurseries,

Fifty-sixth Year.

Rochester, N. Y.

Additional Novelties.

For the convenience of our customers, we append a list of novelties which are at present being offered, but which we have not yet tried sufficiently to justify us in describing them, or in venturing an opinion as to their value.

The descriptions are those of the originators, and the plants which will be supplied are not of our own growing, but have been procured from the originators or disseminators. We hope and expect that many, if not most, of these novelties will, after trial, prove to be meritorious.

Bismarck Apple.

Introduced from New Zealand. Very large, remarkably handsome and showy; flesh yellow, tender, juicy; quality good; extremely hardy and prolific and bears early. Season, November to February. Small trees, 50c.

Eliot's Early Pear.

Originated by James Dougall, Canada. Medium size, pyriform; skin yellowish green striped with red; handsome; flesh juicy, vinous, excellent; tree a strong grower. A handsome and good early pear, recommended by Mr. Carman of the *Rural New-Yorker*, who has fruited it. Top-worked trees, \$1.00.

Koonce Pear.

Originated in Illinois. Medium to large, very handsome; spicy, juicy, sweet, very good. Season very early. Tree vigorous, free from blight, and a better grower than Kieffer. \$1.00.

Vermont Beauty Pear.

Originated in Northern Vermont. Medium size; yellow, covered on sunny side with bright carmine red; rich, juicy, sub-acid. Ripens immediately after Seckel. Very hardy. \$1.00.

Giant Prune.

Raised by Mr. Luther Burbank, of California. Of immense size, as its name implies; firm, rich, sweet, delicious; produced in great profusion. Tree a strong, handsome grower. A limited stock of top-grafted trees; \$2.00 each.

Wickson Plum.

Another of Mr. Burbank's celebrated hybrids, and considered by him one of the finest. Very large, glowing carmine with a heavy white bloom; flesh firm, sugary, delicious, stone small. Remarkable for its long-keeping qualities. Tree of vigorous, upright growth. One-year-old trees, ready in fall 1896, \$2.00 each.

Willard Plum.

Of Japanese origin. Medium size, dark red, freestone, quality fair. Tree a strong grower, hardy and productive. Claimed to be the earliest plum to ripen. One year branched, 50c.

White Imperial Currant.

A white currant; valuable for table use. One year, 25c each.

Wilder Currant.

A red currant, said to be very profitable for market. One year, 25c each.

Golden Prolific Gooseberry.

A fine large yellow variety of the English type. 50c.

Red Jacket Gooseberry.

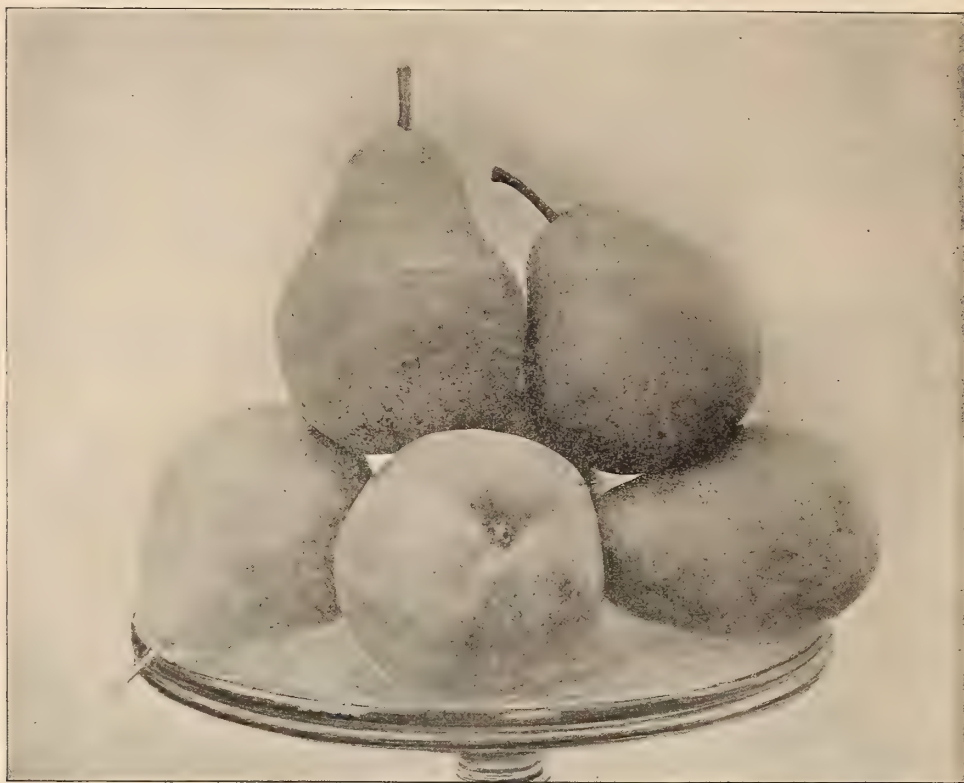
A new red gooseberry of the American type, and which is highly recommended. 25c.

Spineless Gooseberries.

Novelties in the way of gooseberries, said to be without thorns, have recently been introduced from Europe. We can furnish four varieties; viz., *Souvenir de Billard*, *Ed. Lefort*, *Mme. Lefort*, and *Belle de Meaux*. \$1.00 each.

Gault Perpetual Raspberry (Black Cap).

Very large and firm; fine rich flavor. Plant a vigorous grower and extremely hardy. Said to be a true perpetual. 35c. each.



NEW FALL PEAR, LADY CLAPP. (Reduced.)

New Winter Pear, Dorset.

Another seedling raised by the late Lemuel Clapp. It is a very handsome and showy late-keeping pear. Large, golden yellow ground, with bright red on sunny side; flesh juicy, melting, sweet, of good quality. Keeps and ships well and is a valuable late pear. Ripe in February, but keeps in perfection till May. We exhibited beautiful specimens of it at the World's Fair in May, 1893. Tree a vigorous grower. \$1.00.

New Winter Pear, Fred Baudry.

A large, handsome, fine-flavored, late winter pear. Size medium to large; oblong pyriform; color yellow, with occasional blotches of russet; flesh yellow, tender, buttery, juicy, slightly gritty at core, solid and no evidence of rot; quality very good to best, a distinct flavor. Ripe a little after Josephine of Malines. A valuable late winter pear. \$1.00.

New Winter Pear, Olivier Des Serres.

A valuable late-keeping winter pear, ripening about the same time as the Josephine of Malines, and perhaps keeping longer, say till first of March. The fruit is of good size, roundish, averaging larger than Josephine. Flesh tender, juicy, melting; flavor distinct, excellent. In quality it ranks as very good to best. As the number of late-keeping, high-flavored pears is not large, this variety will be received favorably. \$1.00.

New Winter Pear, P. Barry.

One of the long-keeping Fox seedlings. Large, pyriform; skin orange yellow, covered with russet dots and blotches; flesh very juicy, buttery, fine grained; flavor sprightly, rich, excellent. The best late winter pear. Resembles Anjou in texture of flesh and Winter Nelis in color of skin and juiciness of flesh. Tree a poor grower and must be top-grafted. Ripe in April. We also exhibited fine specimens of this pear at the World's Fair latter part of May. This variety was offered for sale on fruit stands in New York city as late as June last year. \$1.00.

The Santa Cruz *Surf*, published in Santa Cruz, Cal., speaking of late winter pears, says that the Easter Beurre which up to this time has been regarded as the most valuable late pear, is to be superseded by the new pear P. Barry, named after the late Rochester pomologist. The Barry is the longest keeping pear of good quality that is known at present. It is fit to eat as late as May, and keeps till that time with ordinary care, its fine quality unimpaired.

The Abundance Plum.

Of Japanese origin. Fruit large and beautiful; amber, turning to a rich bright cherry; flesh light yellow, juicy, tender, sweet; exceedingly productive. Season very early. 75c.

The Burbank Plum.

Also of Japanese origin. Large and beautiful; clear cherry red; an abundant bearer, valuable market variety. Ripens early in September. 75c.

The Dunlap Plum.

A beautiful, large yellow plum, resembling the Yellow Egg, but ripening early; cling, juicy, sweet, very good. 75c.

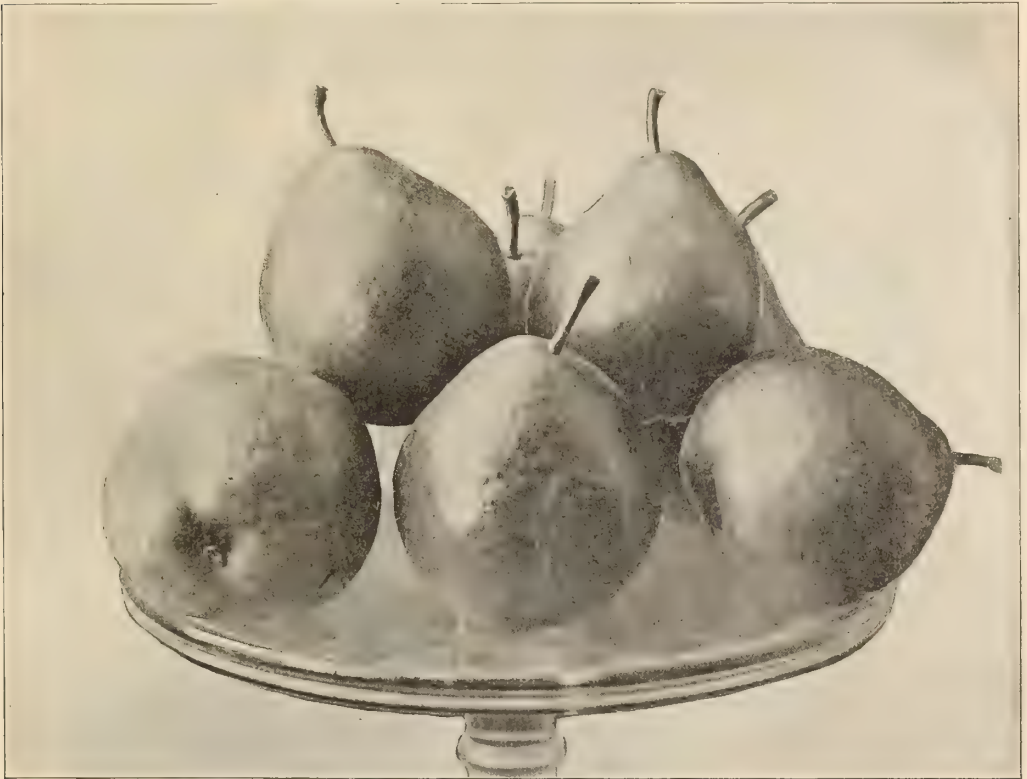
The La Fayette Plum.

A valuable late variety, medium to large, roundish, purple, quality good. Ripens last of September. 75c.

The Purple Reine Claude Plum.

(Reine Claude Violette.)

Medium size, purple, delicious flavor; highly recommended for the table. Ripens middle of September. 75c.



NEW WINTER PEAR, DORSET. (Reduced.)

The Youngken's Golden Cherry Plum.

This is the earliest plum to ripen here; small, round, greenish yellow, handsome, very slender stalk, half an inch long, sweet and juicy; cling; valuable on account of its earliness. 75c.

The Champion Peach.

A new early peach described as large, handsome, creamy white with red cheek; sweet, rich, juicy; freestone; a good shipper. Hardy and productive. 25c.

The Crosby Peach.

A new variety which comes highly recommended, especially for its hardiness. Fruit medium roundish, slightly flattened, bright orange-yellow, splashed with streaks of carmine on sunny side; good in quality. Ripens between Crawford's Early and Late. 25c.

Their great Nursery widely known both in Europe and America.—*Country Gentleman.*

The Elberta Peach.

This variety originated in Georgia some years ago, and has proved to be one of the most valuable for that region. It is also highly spoken of in other parts of the country. Here in New York State it has done remarkably well, and is considered highly promising. Large, yellow; quality good. Ripens about with Crawford's Late here. 25c.

The Columbus Gooseberry.

This is one of the most valuable introductions of recent years in small fruits, and it fully sustains the high opinion first formed of it, as will be seen from the reports given below from high and competent authority. It was introduced by us a few years ago. The fruit is of largest size, handsome, of a greenish yellow color, and the quality is excellent. The plant is vigorous and productive and does not mildew. It merits a place in every garden. 50 cents each, \$4 per doz.

The editor of the *Rural New-Yorker* says: "It is the *best* variety yet introduced and seems close to a perfect Gooseberry for our climate."

Again, in the issue of the same paper, July 21, 1894, he says: "There seems little to be said that has not already been said respecting Gooseberries at the Rural Grounds. Columbus is, this season, all that it was last. We have three bushes all laden—overladen—with large, smooth berries, as large as the average foreign kinds. There is not a trace of mildew upon either fruit or foliage, and the Columbus seems to us this year, as last, the best variety in the market for those with whom the foreign kinds do not thrive."

THE COLUMBUS IN CANADA.

From the *Canadian Horticulturist*, January, 1895. A correspondent writes: "I planted this variety in the spring of 1893. They fruited that year, just enough to show the form and quality. This year the bushes were heavily loaded, and the fruit was of the best quality, very large in size, oval in shape, quite smooth, and greenish yellow in color. It is greatly superior to the Industry. No trace of mildew, and a most abundant bearer."



THE WINCHELL GRAPE. (Reduced.)

The Winchell Grape.

The earliest white grape (*identical with Green Mountain*). This white grape has been thoroughly tested for several years in our vineyard, and it has proved so satisfactory in all respects that we can recommend it with the utmost confidence to our customers. It combines hardiness, fruitfulness, vigor, good size, and excellent quality.

Though not the largest, yet both berry and cluster are of good size, and the flavor is excellent, ranking in this respect as a grape of the first class. In time of ripening it may be described as very

early, being the first white grape to ripen, and maturing about the same time as Champion, or about a week earlier than the Hartford. This qualification insures its ripening even in the worst of seasons, a consideration which will be appreciated by all planters. Its habit of growth is vigorous and the foliage clean and healthy, while its bearing quality is all that can be desired. It can be said to be a most valuable white grape, either for the amateur or professional grower, and there is every reason to believe that it is destined to widespread popularity. We think that it is one of the few grapes adapted to general cultivation, and of especial value for the amateur, while its earliness, productiveness and vigor, combined with fine quality, in our opinion render it also very desirable for market. 1 year, 50c. each; 2 years, 75c. each.

The Early King Blackberry.

Fruit of medium size and good quality, plant hardy and productive. The first variety to ripen here, and particularly valuable on that account. 75c. per doz.

The Eldorado Blackberry.

A very promising new variety; fruit medium size, jet black, melting, sweet and rich; plant hardy and very productive. 75c. per doz.

The Columbian Raspberry.

Fruit very large, dark red, bordering on purple; plant a very strong, robust grower, hardy and wonderfully productive. 50c. each, \$5 per doz.

The Eureka Raspberry (Black Cap).

A comparatively new variety; very large, glossy black, juicy, rich; hardy and very productive. We regard it as valuable. A very early variety. 50c. per doz.

The Kansas Raspberry (Black Cap).

A splendid new variety; very large, handsome, firm, and of excellent quality; early, very hardy and productive. One of the best Black Caps. 50c. per doz.

New Red Raspberry, Loudon.

A new red raspberry which originated at Janesville, Wis. Described as follows: "Said to be a seedling of the Turner crossed with Cuthbert. Large, broadly conical, beautiful red. Ripens about with Cuthbert, continuing later, and in quality fully as good as that variety." 40c. each, \$3.25 per doz.

New Red Raspberry, Miller.

A variety from New Jersey which comes highly recommended. Described as follows: "Berry as large as Cuthbert, round, bright red, does not fade; very firm, flavor rich. Begins to ripen with the earliest. Very prolific and perfectly hardy. 25c. each, \$2.50 per doz.

New Red Raspberry, Superlative.

A splendid new foreign red raspberry. Very large, fine color, firm and of best quality. We have tested it in our grounds, and commend it to all who desire the *largest, handsomest, and choicest fruit*. One of the best novelties in this line. Particularly valuable on account of its hardness, having withstood the severest winters here without injury. One of our customers in Russia informs us that of all the European varieties he has tested the Superlative has proved to be the best. 25c. each, \$2.50 per doz.

The Marshall Strawberry (New).

Very large, roundish, dark, rich crimson; quality very good, firm; plant vigorous, productive; season medium to late. This seems to us to be the most promising among the newer kinds, and therefore deserves careful trial. 50c. per doz., \$1.50 per 100.

One of our customers writes June 11, 1895: "The Marshall Strawberry plants you furnished me last year were more than a success; they are much the best very large berry I have ever fruited. The fruits were immense in size and held it until the end in a remarkable degree."

New and Rare Ornamental Trees.

Acer—Circinatum.

(Round-leaved or Vine Maple.)

A rare and pretty species from Oregon of slow growth; forms a low round-headed branching tree; Resembles the Japanese varieties. The autumn coloring is fine. \$1.00.

Acer—Heldreichii.

A fine new species of upright growth. Foliage large, dark green and deeply lobed. We regard it as a valuable introduction. \$1.00.

Acer—Platanoides integrilobum.

A new variety of the Norway Maple, of rapid growth. The foliage is large, deep green, changing to bright yellow in autumn, distinct and handsome. \$1.00.

Has done more in the interests of pomology and horticulture than any other American firm.—*Rural New Yorker*.



Prunus Pissardi. *Clump of Magnolias.*

A CORNER IN THE GROUNDS OF THE MT. HOPE NURSERIES.

Acer — Platanoides O. Stoll.

A variety of the Norway Maple, of upright growth; foliage large, round, dark bronze, hanging downward on very long stalks. One of the finest new trees. \$1.00.

Acer — Platanoides undulatum.

A new variety of the Norway Maple, of erect habit and vigorous growth. Foliage very dark green, the edges curiously cut and curled. A distinct and beautiful tree. \$1.00.

Acer — Pseudo platanus foliis purpureis, Prince Handjery.

A dwarf growing variety of the Sycamore Maple. Foliage purplish, deeply lobed. distinct and fine. \$1.00.

Acer — Pseudo platanus, Simon Louis Freres.

A charming variety of the Sycamore Maple. Foliage large, green, distinctly marked with white; leaf stalks reddish. Very distinct and beautiful. \$1.00.

Acer — Rubrum Drummondii.

A variety of the Scarlet Maple, of dwarf habit, but a strong, compact grower; foliage very large, reddish above, silvery beneath. \$1.00.

Acer — Saccharinum monumentalis.

(*Monumental Sugar Maple.*)

A fine variety of the Sugar Maple, of pyramidal, compact habit, the foliage of the second growth is of a brilliant crimson, which, contrasted with the rich green of the older foliage, produces a charming effect. Distinct and handsome. \$1.00.

Aesculus — Hippocastanum rubicunda pendula.

A weeping variety of the Red-flowered Horse Chestnut. \$1.50.

Aesculus — Schirenhaferei.

This is a new species of Horse Chestnut from Germany, said to produce double red flowers. \$1.00.

Amygdalus — Davidiana alba.

(*White-flowered Almond.*)

Flowers single white, and appearing as they do before the leaves, are very showy. The first tree to flower in spring, and hence particularly desirable on that account. 50c.

Amygdalus — Orientalis.

A pretty tree of dwarf habit. Silvery foliage and very showy. 50c.

Betula — Alba nana pendula.

(*Dwarf Weeping White Birch*)

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J. B. B., Shelter Island Heights, N. Y.

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A correspondent of the *Garden and Forest* (April 24, '95) says: "A remarkably handsome specimen of Crimson Rambler Rose is now in bloom in one of the greenhouses belonging to H. H. Hunnewell, Esq., Wellesley.

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